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SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK	
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	

LISA WATKINS, SHENIAGIA WARREN, CHARLES BROWN, TYWAN WILLIAMS, JARROD THOMPSON, LOUI BOND, and NATHANIEL WATKINS,

STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT AND ORDER OF DISMISSAL

Plaintiffs,

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-against-

CITY OF NEW YORK, TIMOTHY HOUSE, FRANK MONGE, CHARLIE MCCOY, GREGORY SANTANA, E. PEREZand JOHN and JANE DOE 1 through 10, individually and in their official capacities, (the names John and Jane Doe being fictitious, as the true names are presently unknown),

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	Defendants.
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WHEREAS, plaintiffs commenced this action by filing a complaint on or about January 19, 2011, alleging that the defendants violated plaintiffs' federal civil and state common law rights; and

WHEREAS, defendants City of New York, Officer Timothy House, Officer Charlie McCoy, Officer Frank Monge, Officer Gregory Santana and Officer E. Perez have denied any and all liability arising out of plaintiffs' allegations; and

WHEREAS, the parties now desire to resolve the issues raised in this litigation, without further proceedings and without admitting any fault or liability; and

WHEREAS, plaintiffs have authorized their counsel to settle this matter on the terms set forth below;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between the undersigned, as follows:

- 1. The above-referenced action is hereby dismissed against defendants, with prejudice, and without costs, expenses, or attorneys' fees in excess of the amount specified in paragraph "2" below.
- 2. Defendant City of New York hereby agrees to pay plaintiff LISA WATKINS, THE SUM OF FORTY-TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (\$42,500.00) DOLLARS; PLAINTIFF SHENIAGIA WARREN, THE SUM OF FORTY-TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (\$42,500.00) DOLLARS; PLAINTIFF CHARLES BROWN, THE SUM OF TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000.00) DOLLARS; PLAINTIFF TYWAN WILLIAMS, THE SUM OF TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND (\$25,000.00) DOLLARS; PLAINTIFF JARROD THOMPSON, THE SUM OF TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND (\$25,000.00) DOLLARS; PLAINTIFF LOUI BOND, THE SUM OF FIFTEEN THOUSAND (\$15,000.00) DOLLARS AND PLAINTIFF NATHANIEL WATKINS, THE SUM OF TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND (\$25,000.00) DOLLARS in full satisfaction of all claims, including claims for costs, expenses and attorneys' fees. In consideration for the payment of these sums, plaintiffs agree to dismissal of all the claims against the defendants and to release the defendants, and any present or former employees and agents of the City of New York or any agency thereof, from any and all liability, claims, or rights of action that were or could have been alleged in this action, including claims for costs, expenses, and attorneys' fees.
- 3. Plaintiffs each shall execute and deliver to defendant City of New York's attorney all documents necessary to effect this settlement, including, without limitation, a General Release based on the terms of paragraph 2 above and an Affidavit of Status of Liens. If Medicare has provided payment and/or benefits for any injury or condition that is the subject of

this lawsuit, prior to tendering the requisite documents to effect this settlement, plaintiffs shall have notified Medicare and shall submit with the settlement documents a Medicare final demand letter for conditional payments. A Medicare Set-Aside Trust may also be required if future anticipated medical costs are found to be necessary pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1395y(b) and 42 C.F.R. §§ 411.22 through 411.26.

- 4. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to be an admission by the defendants that they have in any manner or way violated plaintiffs' rights, or the rights of any other person or entity, as defined in the constitutions, statutes, ordinances, rules or regulations of the United States, the State of New York, or the City of New York or any other rules, regulations or bylaws of any department or subdivision of the City of New York. This stipulation shall not be admissible in, nor is it related to, any other litigation or settlement negotiations.
- 5. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to constitute a policy or practice of the City of New York or any agency thereof.
- 6. Plaintiffs agree to hold harmless defendants regarding any liens or past and/or future Medicare payments, presently known or unknown, in connection with this matter. If conditional and/or future anticipated Medicare payments have not been satisfied, defendants reserve the right to issue a multiparty settlement check naming Medicare as a payee or to issue a check to Medicare directly based upon Medicare's final demand letter.
- 7. This Stipulation and Order contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties hereto, and no oral agreement entered into at any time nor any written agreement entered into prior to the execution of this Stipulation and Order regarding the subject matter of the instant proceeding shall be deemed to exist, or to bind the parties hereto, or to vary the terms and conditions contained herein.

Dated: New York, New York

September 13, 2011

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SO ORDERED:

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE